

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant :

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Serial No. Filing Date 10/815,190 March 31, 2004

Title of Invention

COMPUTER-IMPLEMENTED METHOD OF REDUCING RISK IN A PAYMENT-BASED TRANSACTION WHEREIN PAYMENT IS MADE FROM AN ACCOUNT HOLDER TO A

COUNTERPARTY USING A PAYMENT BANK SYSTEM

EMPLOYING A RISK FILTER ROUTINE THAT

DETERMINES WHETHER TO SELECTIVELY REJECT

PAYMENT BASED UPON AT LEAST ONE USER-SUPPLIED

RISK PARAMETER INCLUDING A CLEAN PAYMENT

LIMIT

Examiner

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Group Art Unit

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents

and Trademarks

Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 31, 2008

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 31, 2008 in the present Application, Applicant submits the following amendments to the same: